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1. [] Accompanied the Director, General Cushman, Bruce Clarke, George Carver, [] and [] 25X1A who appeared before the House Appropriations Committee Subcommittees on Defense and Military Construction. See Memo for Record and transcript.

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2. [] Accompanied the Director in a courtesy call on Chairman James O. Eastland, Senate Judiciary Committee. During the conversation Senator Eastland expressed the highest regard for the Agency and said he would be available at any time for advice or assistance.

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3. [] George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called and advised the transcript of the Director's briefing of the Joint Committee on 24 February 1971 is available for correction. Copies 2 and 3 of the transcript were picked up and a copy has been forwarded to OSI for correction.

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4. [] Pursuant to instructions from the Director, I called Carl Marcy, Staff Director, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and suggested 23 and 24 March as possible dates for the Director's briefing of the Committee but I pointed out that the Director's schedule is very unpredictable and I would not want either of these dates to be firmed up completely without Marcy's first checking with us. He said he understood and would be back in touch with us.

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5. [] Accompanied Carl Duckett and Dave Brandwein to a briefing of Senator Carl Curtis, new ranking minority member of the Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee, on the Soviet and Chinese space programs. Messrs. Gehrig, Parker and Voorhees of the Committee staff, were also present. Senator Curtis expressed his appreciation for this full briefing and said he would probably follow up on Duckett's offer to keep him up-to-date from time to time in the future.

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6. [] Marion Ball, USIA, called about an inquiry she had received from the office of Senator Gaylord Nelson regarding a request from Professor [] of the Political Science Department of Marquette University to have his name placed on the list for []. I told Miss Ball I would handle this with Senator Nelson's office.

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7. [] George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called and asked if we could confirm SI and compartmented clearances for the following individuals: Mr. Gerard Smith, Lt. Gen. Royal B. Allison, Paul H. Nitze, J. Graham Parsons, Philip J. Farley, Spurgeon M. Keeny and William W. Hancock, who will be witnesses at a JCAE meeting today. After checking with [] Security, I confirmed the existence of clearances for all of these individuals.

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8. [] Delivered the transcript of the Director's briefing, 2 March 1971, House Appropriations Defense and Military Construction Subcommittees, to Mr. Ralph Preston. The transcript will be retained in the Subcommittee during the next several days and then returned to the Agency for safekeeping.

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9. [] Met with Mr. Peter Murphy, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that a question concerning the [] missile had been overlooked during the Director's briefing of the Defense and Military Construction Subcommittees. Mr. Murphy asked, if possible, for an informal report on this so-called general purpose missile.

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10. [] I talked to Mr. Frank Keenan, Asministrative Assistant to Congresswoman Dwyer (R., N. J.), who told me that representatives of the [] will be visiting the Washington area next week and would like to meet with Agency representatives on 11 March to demonstrate their system for positive verification of identity of persons (Journal of 28 January). I thanked Mr. Keenan for the call. Office of Security has been advised.

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11. [] Received a call from Mrs. Frances Minter, in the office of Representative Jackson Betts (R., Ohio), requesting brochures on the Central Intelligence Agency in response to a constituent's request. Pamphlets were sent out.

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